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RE:

APPLICATION FOR A CC&N TO PROVIDE COPT (DOCKET NO. T-20438A-06-

0071)

On February 6, 2006, Interstate Telecommunications, Inc. ("Interstate") filed an application to obtain a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity ("CC&N") for customer owned pay telephone ("COPT") service. The Applicant indicated on its application that it will provide service in accordance with the rates, charges, terms and conditions contained within the COPT Generic Tariff.

In its application, Interstate submitted a copy of the customer information placard that will be affixed to all of Interstate's payphones. Staff has reviewed the Applicant's customer information placard and believes that it meets the terms of the Generic Tariff.

Staff believes that certain benefits in the form of increased pay telephone availability will accrue to the public and that the issuance of a CC&N is in the public interest. Therefore, Staff recommends approval of the application.

Originator: Julian Pereira

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